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QUANTIFYING LYMPHOCYTES

WITH OPTICAL BIODISCS

Examiner Yang, Nelson

Art Unit 1641

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified application are the following enclosures:

- Response to Restriction Requirement, in one page. (X)
- Power of Attorney from Nagaco & Co., Ltd., partial assignee, in 1 page. (X)
- Power of Attorney from Burstein Technology, Inc., partial assignee, in 1 page. (X)
- Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) in two pages. (X)

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FEE TYPE			FEE CODE	CALCULATION	TOTAL
Total Claims	22	=	1202 (\$18)	x 18 =	\$0
Independent Claims	2	=	1201 (\$86)	x 86 =	\$0
Multiple Claim			1203 (\$290)		\$
1 Month Extension			1251 (\$110)		\$110
2 Month Extension			1252 (\$420)	*	\$
3 Month Extension			1253 (\$950)		\$
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# RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated January 15, 2004, Applicants submit the following election.

Applicants hereby elect Group I, Claims 1-22.

Please charge any additional fees, including any fees for additional extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

Respectfully submitted,

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## STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b)

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#### Dear Sir:

Nagaoka & Co., LTD., a Japanese Corporation, states that it is an assignee of one half of the entire right, title and interest in the above-referenced patent application by virtue of a chain of title from the inventor(s) of the patent application identified above, to the current assignee as shown below:

- All right, title, and interest was assigned from the inventor, Gowri Selvan, to Burstein Technologies, Inc. The document was recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office at Reel 012883, Frame 0286.
- An undivided one half of the entire right, title, and interest was assigned from Burstein Technologies, Inc. to Nagaoka & Co., LTD. The document was recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office at Reel 014192, Frame 0310.

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The undersigned, whose title is supplied below, is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee. Please charge any additional fees, including any fees for additional extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

Respectfully submitted,

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